IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA ORIGINAL

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No. DA 09-0470

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

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JAMES LEON ALLEN,

V.

Ed Smith

Defendant and Appellant.

ORDER

Upon consideration of Counsel's motion to withdraw as counsel of record, and good cause appearing therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant/Appellant in this matter shall file a response to this motion within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. The response must be served upon all counsel of record, including the Attorney General, the County Attorney, and the Appellate Defender's Office.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that counsel provide the Defendant/Appellant with the relevant record and transcripts on appeal upon his written request.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court give notice of this Order by mail to all counsel of record and to the Defendant/Appellant at his last known address.

DATED this 20TH day of May

! William Baphart
JUSTICE